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In response to the Restriction Requirement dated August 8, 2002, Applicant elects for prosecution the claims of Group I, claims 1-4, drawn to a tool, classified in class 51, subclass 307, without traverse.

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Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

- ☐ Small entity status has been claimed. See 37 CFR § 1.27.
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